Billing Code: 8025-01

SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Reporting and recordkeeping requirements under OMB review

AGENCY: Small Business Administration.

ACTION: 30-Day Notice.

SUMMARY: The Small Business Administration (SBA) is publishing this notice to comply with requirements of the Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA), which requires agencies to submit proposed reporting and recordkeeping requirements to OMB for review and approval, and to publish a notice in the Federal Register notifying the public of that submission.

DATES: Submit comments on or before [INSERT DATE 30 DAYS AFTER THE DATE OF PUBLICATION IN THE FEDERAL REGISTER]

ADDRESSES: Comments should refer to the information collection by name and/or OMB Control Number and should be sent to: *Agency Clearance Officer*, Curtis Rich, Small Business Administration, 409 3rd Street, S.W., 5th Floor, Washington, D.C. 20416; and *SBA Desk Officer*, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget, New Executive Office Building, Washington, D.C. 20503.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Curtis Rich, Agency Clearance Officer, (202) 205-7030 curtis.rich@sba.gov

COPIES: A copy of the Form OMB 83-1, supporting statement, and other documents submitted to OMB for review may be obtained from the Agency Clearance Officer.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Under this program, a small business concern without a past performance rating

as a prime contractor in the Past Performance Information Retrieval System

(PPIRS) may request a past performance rating in the Contractor Performance

Assessment Reporting System (CPARS), if the small business is a first tier

subcontractor under a covered Federal Government contract requiring a

subcontracting plan in accordance with FAR 19.702(a). Ratings of subcontractor

performance can be requested on subcontracts that exceed the simplified

acquisition threshold, or subcontracts for architecture-engineering services

valued at \$35,000 or more as provided in FAR 42.1502.

Solicitation of Public Comments:

Comments may be submitted on (a) whether the collection of information is

necessary for the agency to properly perform its functions; (b) whether the burden

estimates are accurate; (c) whether there are ways to minimize the burden, including

through the use of automated techniques or other forms of information technology; and

(d) whether there are ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information.

Summary of Information Collections:

(1) **Title**: SBA Subcontractor Past Performance Pilot Initiative

Description of Respondents: Prime Contractor

Form Number: 2465

Estimated Annual Respondents: 2520

Estimated Annual Responses:

2520

Estimated Annual Hour Burden: 3780

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